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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Response to the Office Action dated February 20, 2001 for one month from February 20, 2001 to April 20, 2001.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Other than Small Entity</u>
1 month -	_____ \$ 55	<u>X</u> _____ \$ 110
2 months -	_____ \$ 195	_____ \$ 390
3 months -	_____ \$ 445	_____ \$ 890
4 months -	_____ \$ 695	_____ \$1,390
5 months -	_____ \$ 945	_____ \$1,890

- [] Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$[] to cover the cost of the extension.
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Respectfully submitted,

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